Delegates, Delegates John Arnick, William Linton and Delegate Hull.

By order,

James P. Mause Chief Clerk

Read and adopted.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

By Senator Staten:

Ladies and Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message, notifying the Senate of the organization of your Honorable Body, and requesting the appointment of a joint committee to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the General Assembly is now prepared to receive any communications which he may desire to make.

We have appointed on the part of the Senate, Senators Welcome and Steers.

The Senate has organized by the election of the Honorable Steny ${\tt H.}$ Hoyer as President.

The Secretary of the Senate is Oden Bowie, pursuant to the provisions of Section 80 of the Rules of the Senate of Maryland.

By order,

Oden Bowie Secretary

Read and ordered journalized.

ORDER

By the Speaker:

ORDEPED: by the House of Delegates of Maryland, That for the Special Session of May 12, 1975, the House with one exception, adopts the Rules of the House of Delegates in force as at the end of the Regular Session of 1975.

The exception is that all introductory bills, whether House Bills or Senate Bills, shall be initially referred to the House Committee on Rules.